THE WEEK IN SOCIETY.

The month of May, which opened so full of cheer for the members of the gay world, has developed a midsummer temperature that has set people flya missummer temperature that has set people ing from tevn and given a tremendous boom to the suburban season. The arrival of summer without warning has upset the plans of many mgn and women, and fashionable people are leaving town as fast as boats and trains can carry them. To secure an invitation from country friends is the one desire of those who have no pleasant home near town, and if this cannot be accomplished a Sunday at Tuxede or some place near town is the only refuge just now, depleting though it may be to the pocket and bank account. Pelham and the Country Club are as gay on Sundays as they are week days, when the arrival of the Pioneer

The daily coach Pioneer still receives liberal patronage from fashionable people, and each day on its journey to and from the Hotel Brunswick Westchester Country Club is filled with parties of young people. To-morrow Mrs. De-lancey Kane will take a party out on the Pioneer; Henry C. Ward has engaged the coach for Tues-day, George Griswold Haven for Wednesday and Cornelius Vanderbilt for Friday of this week. The annual spring drive of the members of the New-York Coaching Club will take place on Saturday York Coaching the Honorer will be tooled to of this week, when the Pioneer will be tooled to Theodore A. Havemeyer's farm, at Mahwah, N. J., where they will be the guests over Sunday of Mr. Havemeyer. The return trip will be made on Monday. The annual parade of the club will take place on Saturday morning, May 25, and invitations are already out for it. There will probably be as many as fifteen or sixteen coaches in line, a number which will exceed that seen for many Many women in society will be included in the list of guests. Among those whose coaches will figure in the parade are Colonel Jay, the president of the clue, who will review the line as usual at the One-hundred-and-tenth-st. end of Central Park: Frederic Bronson, Dr. W. Seward Webb, Francis T. Underhill, Frank K. Sturgis, Reginald W. Rives, Perry Belmont, Prescott Lawrence, Theodore A. Havemeyer, J. J. Van Alen, Richard Mortimer, C. Oliver Iselin and Nelson Brown, of Mortimer, . The meet will take place, as usual, in the drive leading from the Eighth-ave. entrance to Central Park to the Mall, and after the parade and review the gentlemen whips and their guests will drive to Claremont, where luncheon will be

The Rye coach, Enterprise continues its trips, favored with liberal patronage. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Dimond, who have given many parties on the coach since it began its trips, have established themselves for the season in their country home, at Rye. Mr. Dimond yesterday had as guests on the Enterprise, on its trip from the Plaza Hotel to Rye, George C. Clark, Frank G. Tefft, John W. Condit, D. S. Walton, C. J. Folmer, L. H. Wise, George A. Stanton, E. E. Hall, Joseph McClena-han and Charles T. Wills. The party were enter-tained at dinner last evening by Mr. and Mrs.

The marriage of Miss Elizabeth Cynthia Barney to Dr. John Laidlaw Buel, which is set for Tues-day afternoon, May 28, in the Church of the day afternoon, May 28, in the Church of the Heavenly Rest, in Fifth-ave., will be followed by a small reception for the bridal party and relatives, to be held at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Newcomb Barney, No. 14 East Fifty-third-st. The Rev. Dr. D. Parker Morgan, the rector of the Church of the Heavenly Rest, will be the officiating clergy-Miss Barney, who will wear a gown of white satin draped with chiffon, and a veil of point lace, will have as her maid of honor Miss Theodora Dodge, and as her bridesmaids Miss Lucy M. Corwith, of Bridgehamton, L. I.; Miss Catherine Lefferts Buel, sister of the bridegroom, and Miss Sarah Barney Sturgis and Miss Margaret Barney Sturgis, cousins of the bride. They will wear pretty gowns of soft white muslin, trimmed with lace insertion and ribbons. Dr. Danforth N. S. Barney, the bride's brother, will attend Dr. Buel as best man. The ushers will be Austin Meigs Poole, Elliott Sturgis and Charles Weiser.

The fashionable wedding of the season, and one will be that of Miss Adele Sloane, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Douglas Sloane, to James Aberand Mrs. William Douglas Sloade, to James Aber-cromble Burden, jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Burden, whose beautiful home, at the southeast corner of Seventy-second-st, and Fifth-ave., is one of the finest in that part of the city. The wedding, which will be celebrated in Lenox on Thursday, will be one of the gayest as well as the most elaborate that has ever taken place in the Berkshire section of Massachusetts. All the regu-lar cottagers will be on hand, and a number of gers to Lenox have engaged houses for the early part of the season. Mr. and Mrs. Cornellus Vanderbilt and Mr. and Mrs. Burden have each leased houses, and will entertain a large number of guests before and after the wedding. The Trinity Protestant Episcopal Church will be the scene of the marriage ceremony, which will be performed by the Rev. William Grosvenor, the rector. Fred-eric Bayard Winthrop will be Mr. Burden's best man, and Richmond Fearing, Columbus C. Baldwin, Leuis Frothingham, Moses Taylor, Philip Sears and Nelson Perkins have been selected to serve as Nelson Perkins have been selected to serve as ushers. Miss Sloane will be attended by six or eight bridesmaids. The wedding breakfast and reception, which are to follow at Elmcourt, the beautiful country home of Mr. and Mrs. Sloane, will be beautiful country home of Mr. and Mrs. Sloane, will be beautiful country home of Mr. Burden. beautiful country home of Mr. and Mrs. Sloane, will be attended by upward of 300 guests. Mr. Burden will take his bride to England, in which country the young people will probably make their home. Arrangements have been completed for the marriage of Miss Marion De Peyster Carey and William B. Dinsmore, jr., which is set for Tuesday afternoon, June 4. Invitations to the ceremony in Trinity Chapel, in West Twenty-fifth-st., near Broadway, were sent out on Thursday. The Rev Dr. Morgan Dix, the rector of Trinity parish, assisted by the Rev. William H. Vibbert and the Rev. Dr. Henry Y. Satterlee, rector of Calvary Church, will perform the marriage ceremony. Miss Carey, who is a beautiful girl, will be escorted to the chancel and given away by her stepfather, Richard Delafield. Miss Madeline Dinsmore, sister of the bridegroom, will attend her as maid of honor, The bridesmaids will be Miss Grace Henop, Miss The bridesmaids will be Miss Grace Henop, Miss Susier Hail, Miss Juliana Cutting, Miss Eleanor Cross, Miss Mabel Lewis, Miss Elste Barger, Miss Elizabeth Jackson and Miss Geraldine Fitzgerald. They will wear gowns of white India muslin, trimmed with lace, and large hats, dressed with trimmed with lace, and large hats, dressed with white plumes. Alvin Adams, of Boston, has been chosen by Mr. Dinsmore to serve as best man, and Frederic Foster Carey, whose marriage to Miss Madeline Lewis was celebrated in the same chancel a few weeks ago; Thayer Robb, Valentine G. Hall, Oliver S. Campbell, Frederic Prime Delafield, Dexter Blagden, Louis F. H. Betts and Ford Huntington have been selected as ushers. The ceremony will be followed with a reception at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Delafield, No. 10 West Ninth-st. Mr. Dinsmore and his bride, according to the programme Dinsmore and his bride, according to the programme arranged, will spend the summer, or a large part of it, on Long Island, and in the autumn will go to Tuxedo. Next winter they will live at the Re-The Madison Avenue Reformed Church, at Fifty-

seventh-st., will be the scene, on Tuesday evening, June 4, of the wedding of Miss Jessie L. Brown, June 4, of the wedding of Miss Jessie L. Brown, daughter of Lyman Brown, to John Taylor Marsh, of London, England. The Rev. Dr. Abbott E. Kittredge, the pastor of the church, will perform the marriage ceremony. Miss Viola Patterson will be Miss Brown's maid of honor. The bridesmalds will be Miss Juanita La Lande, of New-Orleans; Miss May Russell, Miss Anne Cross and Miss Helen Brothwell Robert A. Brown, the bride's brother, will attend Mr. Marsh as best man. The ushers will be Charles Shaw, H. H. Oatman, Louis Gounod will be Charles Shaw, H. H. Oatman, Louis Gounod and Hewitt Coburn, jr. The young couple, who will make their home in England, will sail in the steamship Majestic on June 19.

The wedding of this week will be that of Miss Jeanie Gallup to the Rev. Dr. Henry Mottet, which will take place on Tuesday in the Church of the Holy Communion, Sixth-ave, and Twentieth-st., of which the bridgeroom is the rector. On the following day Miss Maude Marie Smith will be married to Louis Bertschmann, the son of the Swiss Consul-General to New-York, at her home, No. 306 West Seventy-third-st. The Rev. Thomas J. Ducey, rector of St. Leo's Church, will perform the cere mony, to which only the relatives and most inti-mate friends of the couple have been invited. There

The marriage of Miss Etta Dunham, daughter of James H. Dunham, of this city, to the Marquis de Viti di Marco, will take place in a few weeks in Florence, Italy. Mr. Dunham and his daughter have already gone abroad.

Miss Isabel Gillelan will be married to Benjamin Miss Isabel Gillelan will be married to Benjamin Warford on Tuesday, June 4, prohably at St. Stephen's Protestant Episcopal Church, in West Forty-sixth-st. The Rev. Dr. Treat will officiate. Miss Gillelan will be attended by six bridesmaids, Miss Warford and Miss Watson, of Perth Amboy; Miss Chamberlain, of Elizabeth, and Miss Pilisbury, Miss Kopper and Miss Libbey, of this city. The

mother in Amsterdam-ave.

The wedding of Miss Cordelia Bradley, of Pitts burg, to Anthony J. Drexel Biddle is announced to take place in Christ Methodist Episcopal Church, Pittsburg, on the evening of Tucsday, June 11. Mr. Biddle and his bride, after a three months' tour in Europe, will make their home in this city.

At the wedding Mr. Biddie will have as his best
man Livingston Ludlow Biddie. The ushers will
be Thomas K. Smith, Walter Scott, Alexander
Bradley, jr., Edward Craig Biddle, William Innes Forbes and Henderson Bradley. The maid of honor will be the bride's sister, Miss Jane Bradley, and the bridesmaids Miss May Taylor, Miss Bettie Warden, Miss Genevieve Balley, of Albany, and

Miss Annie Scaife.

The wedding of Miss Byrdee Randolph, of this city, and George Randolph, of Memphis, Tenn., will take place at the Church of the Heavenly Rest on June 12. The bride was educated abroad and at Mrs Reed's school, having been president of its alumnae. Mr. Randolph is the eldest son and partner of William M. Randolph, one of the most premi-

A luncheon was given yesterday at the Hotel Netherland by Miss Ida P. Rue for Miss Grace Link, Miss Lillian Link, Miss June E. Wheeler, Miss Nora Gibbons, Miss Mary Clement, Miss Flor ence Evans, Miss Katherine Jones, Miss May Han-ford and Miss Marguerite Hanford. Mrs. F. J. Rue chaperoned the party.

Several interesting engagements were announced last week. Miss Mary Stuart Whitney, the eldest daughter of Mrs. Stephen Whitney, of Morris Plains, N. J., announced to her friends her engage-ment to Robert Seevens, of Castle Point, Hoboken, N. J. Miss Whitney, who was introduced to so-ciety about two seasons ago, and has been a great favorite ever since, is . very pretty girl. M Stevens is a son of Edwin Stevens, a brother of Albert Stevens, who married Miss May Brady, and also of Mrs. Archibald Alexander. No date has been set for the wedding. Another engagement which interested society was that of Miss Ethel Frederick Tams, to L. Alston Cabell, of Itich-mond, Va. Miss Scott, who has been a great favorite in society since her formal introduction last winter, will not be married until some time nex autumn. The engagement was also announced of Miss Annie Ward, niece of Dr. and Mrs. Willard P. Ward, of No. 184 West Fifty-eighth-st., to Henry Manning Sage, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dean Sage, of Albany

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An engagement from across the water made public this week was that of Miss Catherine Cheape, daughter of Colonel Cheape, of Bentley Manor. Worcester, England, an officer in the 11th Hussars, to Charles Lee Robert, son of Christopher R. Robert, of Oakdale, L. I. Miss Carolyn E. Bartlett, the second daughter of the late General William F. Bartlett, of Lenox, Mass, has announced her engagement to J. Howard Kidd, of Tivoli-on-the-Hudson. Miss Bartlett is a niece of Waiter Cutting, of this city, The engagement is announced of diss Edith W. Carpenter, daughter of Mrs. Miles B. Carpenter, No. 54 East Fifty-seventh-st., to Valentine Macy, son of Mrs. Josiah Macy, of No. 18 West Fifty-thirdst. One of the recently announced engagements was that of Miss Alice Frank, only daughter of Colonel Royal T. Frank, post-commander at Fort Monroe, to Lieutenant John T. Martin, of the 4th Artillery, United States Army. The bridgeroom-elect has a coilege detail at Columbus, Ohlo, where he reports for duty September 1. The wedding will take place early next month.

It was announced that the marriage of Miss Aline Dickerson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John G. Elliott, of West Seventy-second-st., will take place in St. Bartholomew's Protestant Episcopal Church, Mass Caroline Blanche Coit, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Augustus Boardman Coit, will be married to Albert Lee, ir., only son of General Albert Lee, of Fulinoville, N. Y., at the Murray Hill Hotel on Wednesday afternoon at 4:20 o'clock, May 22. There will be a reception after the ceremony.

The wedding of Miss Alice Preble Tucker, and Murits F. H. de Haas, N. A., the marine painter, will be celebrated quietly on the same day in the Church of the Epiphany, Lexington-ave, and Thirty-fifth-st. The Rev. Dr. William S. Rainsford, of St. George's Church, will perform the ceremony, which will not be followed by a reception.

Mrs. Joseph T.

thur Peabody, Mrs. Frederic Gallatin, Mrs. Joseph T. Low. Mrs. Anson W. Hard. Mrs. Duncan Harris, Mrs. Alexander T. Van Nest and Mrs. Duncan Harris, Mrs. Alexander T. Van Nest and Mrs. Newbold Edgar.

The sudden death of Henry Le Grand Cannon, on Monday last. at his home in Fifth-ave., carried grief to many hearts besides those who were united to him by ties of blood or marriage. He was a man whom New-York society could ill afford to lose, and one whose place will not be filled for some time to come.

The art loan exhibition was well attended last week, the various attractions offered having proved most alluring to visitors. On Tnesday an excellent musical programme, arranged by Mr. Bagby, drew together a large number of people. Arthur Friedhelm gave some of Lisst's compositions. Mrs. Grenville Temple Snelling and J. H. McKinley were the vocalists. At the tea tables on Thursday were Mrs. George C. Clark, Miss Clark and Mrs. James Russell Soley, of Washington formerly Miss Howland, of this city. Among those who dropped in topartake of tea and iced lemonade were Mrs. George H. Morgan. Miss Morgan, Mrs. James O. Green, Mrs. Franklin Bartlett, Mrs. Zimmerman. Alfred Duane Pell, Lockwood De Forest, Worthington Whitehouse and Thomas Thorne. Two generous visitors, whose kindly deeds deserve recording, purchased 100 tickets between them. One has placed the fifty tickets he purchased at the disposal of Arnold, Constable & Co., to be distributed among their employes. It is probable that the other generous buyer will give directions to have his tickets disposed of in an equality commendable manner. There are doubtless many other persons who need only this suggestion to go and do likewise, and thus not only benefit charity, but give a delightful evening to those whose lives are passed in shops to enjoy an exhibition which they would otherwise not have the opportunity to visit. The musical programme arranged for next Tuesday afternoon will have such artists as Miss Emma Thursby, Mme. Thave van den Hende, violencellist, and

THE RESULT IN DELAWARE.

GOVERNOR WATSON'S DEFIANT COURSE. From The Wilmington (Del.) News.

Acting Governor Watson will have every reason to regret his course. The theft of the State Senate in New-York and the counting out of the Republican Governor in Tennessee by the Democratic machine have now been supplemented by a Delaware Democrat, acting as Governor by virtue of being elected to another position, setting aside all precedent and attempting to prevent the election of a United States Senator.

From The New-York Sun.

That a nomad like Gas Addicks should be able to go in from the outside and prevent the re-election of a statesman like Anthony Higgins to the Senate of the United States, is one of the most remarkable political events in history. Mr. Higgins did his level best to bring about the election of some other Republican of good fame. Although he has probably failed in that, it is due to him that Delaware is not represented to-day in the United States Senate by Gas Addicks.

ARE THE MUGWUMPS DISAPPOINTED? From The Boston Journal.

It seems to us that we detect a distinct tinge of disappointment among our "independent" friends that the Delaware Legislature did not elect Addicks. It would have been such a convenient text for one of those familiar homilies on the degeneracy of the Republican party since the Mugwumps left it. But those discourses are significantly less frequent than they used to be.

THE BLAME MUST REST ON ADDICKS. From The Philadelphia Public Ledger. It is improbable that either Colonel Dupont or ar appointed Democrat will be admitted to the Sen-ate until one or the other can get a clear, undis-puted title to his seat. In other words, Delawars will remain unrepresented. The blame most rest upon Addicks and his obstinate followers.

ADDICKS GOT SOMETHING FOR HIS MONEY. From The Washington Post.

Mr. Addicks at least has the satisfaction of knowing he got a prolonged run for his money.

ANY OTHER MAN WOULD HAVE WITH DRAWN. From The Chicago Record.

With any other man than Addicks it is fair to suppose that after a reasonable attempt to secure the position the candidate would have retired rather than sustain a deadlock which might cost the Republican party a vote in the United States Senate. A VACANCY PREFERABLE TO ADDICKS. From The Brooklyn Standard-Union.

If it is a choice between Addicks and a vacant chair, the vacancy would be infinitely preferable. He does not possess one single qualification for the office.

THE FAMOUS SHENANDOAH VALLEY ROUTE'S popular train, "The Shenandoah Limited," commencing to-day, will run solid from New-York to Chat tanooga without change of cars of any kind coaches and dining-car to Chattanooga, through aleepers to Membhis and New-Yrleans.

reception will be held at the home of the bride's CLOSE OF THE CAT SHOW. | A POLICEMAN MURDERED.

CAGES.

WOMEN WHOSE PETS DID NOT RECEIVE PRIZES BOMBARD MR. CHAMBERLAIN WITH COM-

PLAINTS-THE SUBJUGATION OF MIMI. The Cat Show was ended last night at 10 o'clock. The Cat Show was ended last night at 10 o'clock. At that hour the visitors left the Madison Square Garden, and the owners of the cats began to make ready to remove their pets. But of this removing, more anon. The rooms containing the cats were crowded yesterday afternoon, and in the evening they were literally jammed. Women in fashionable



GAY AND SERIOUS.

ostumes and men arrayed in "dress suits" pa homage to the cats and reluctantly left the Garhomage to the cats and rejuctantly left the Gar-den when closing time came. The visitors thronged the aisles and crowded them uncomfortably. The cat is all right when there are not too many of him and when the weather is cold, but given 300 cats, thermometer 90 degrees in the shade, hundreds of spectators and a close atmosphere, and cat shows

are apt to lose popularity.

The awards were completed on Friday, and the judges escaped safely. That the prizes were impartially distributed cannot be doubted, but the owners of losing cats were mad yesterday. A Tribune reporter talked with some of them, and wished he hadn't been so tash. The women hauled their unhadn't been so :ash. The women hauled their unadorned pets from their cages, and then swooped
down upon Charles Chamberlain, who had no more
to do with the awarding of prizes than did the
ticket-takers. They all talked at once and poured
their woes into his ears. One woman was so angry
that she used a "cuss word," as she held up her pet
and denounced the judges. At 4:30 p. m., Mr. Chamberiain transferred his office to the roof. The judges
were not to hlame. The cats on view were all good were not to blame. The cats on view were all good ones, and it required no little knowledge of cats to make the awards properly.

With the aid of two men, some fresh milk, fried liver and a club, Mimi was induced to leave the cellar yesterday and pose. Mimi's escape was told of in yesterday's Tribune. Mimi went home last night a sadder and, it is to be hoped, a wiser cat. The two wildcats upstairs were so disgusted with life generally yesterday that they just sulked, and one small boy in the innocence of his youth actually patted the big one and got off without in-

But this was before the string band began play. To confine a wildcat in a barred cage is enough to the feelings of the animal; but to force the poor thing to listen to a band all after-



OH, PLEASE CATCH MY CAT!

noon and evening, and not even giving the cat programme, is adding insult to injury. No wonder the wildcats got mad and were vicious.

the cats swooped down upon their pets and started in to take them away. In their efforts they were aided by one of the assistants at the show and by a sturdy Irish porter. These dramatis personae all went to work together, and the conversations— one example will do for all—went something like this:

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Woman who owns a cat, as cage of her pet was opened: "Now, do be gentle! Don't shake him! Oh, Lord! you brute, I'll have you arrested. My poor precious!" (this to the cat).

The assistant, suikily: "I ain't your slave. I know my business."

The porter, rubbing his scratched arms and apostrophizing the cat: "Yer dirty beast, it's the death of yez I'll be this night."

The owner, hysterically, to cat: "Oh! my poor abused darling" (kisses the p. a. d.).

The assistant: "Well, I'll be d—d!"

The cat—"Aw! Meow, meow, leggo me!"

The spectators, mirthfully—"Ha, ha!"

Then the enraged cat-owner jammed poor, poor Tom or Tabby into the basket, and the puss made the weikin ring.

Nearly 10,880 people have visited the show, which has been a great success. It will be repeated next year.

A handsome tortofse-shell and white cat named

has been a great success. It was been a great success. It was been a great success. It was been a great success. A handsome tortoise-shell and white cat named Nell, belonging to Mrs. McLaughlin, gave birth to four kittens yesterday afternoon. The kittens are: One tortoise-shell and white, one blue Maltese and one black. Secretary liyde promptly decorated the cage with roses and named the kittens Trevelyn, James II, Lady Raymond and Oueen Nell.

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Among the sales of cats and kittens made yesterday were the following: G. Schirmer paid \$5 for Mrs. William Bannister's Thon: T. R. Feli paid \$25 for the kittens Yale and Harvard, owned by Dr. Hammond: Miss Le Roy paid \$5 for a kitten owned by Mrs. Bannister; Mrs. Rogers paid \$5 for one of Charles Thornwell's pair of kittens, and Maler Wertstein sold his pair of kittens for \$3 each. One kitten was sold by Mrs. F. M. Clarke for \$25. J. H. Alexandre paid \$25 to Charles Knapp for his Angora cat Caesar. H. E. Fish paid \$5 for one of the kittens owned by Master Manuel Munoz, and Mrs. George T. Bliss paid \$5 for Mrs. Bannister's Topsy. P. Dorflinger paid \$3 for Mrs. Bannister's Topsy. P. Dorflinger paid \$3 for Maler Wertstein's kitten "No Name."

NOTES OF THE STAGE.

Another suit has been begun against the Casino Company for rent due. George Freifeld, attorney and agent for Robert F. Bixby, one of the owners Miss Jennie O'Neill Potter is to appear at a ben-efit to be given in aid of St. Mary's Hospital for Children in a new one-part play by Charles Bar-nard entitled "Which" at Mendelssohn Glee Club Hall, on Tuesday evening, May 21. Mile. Pilar-Mo-rin and her company will play one act of "A Dres-den Shepherdess," Mary Helen Howe, of Washing-ton, will sing, and Louis Blumenburg will play the 'cello.

A. M. Palmer received a dispatch from Denver yesterday saying that Judge Hallett had given a decision restraining McKee Rankin from playing

ME. JONES'S NEW PLAY BROUGHT OUT. London, May 11.-Henry Arthur Jones's new play, S "The Triumph of the Philistines," was produced at the St. James's Theatre this evening. It is original and clever, and promises to be successful. George Alexande had the leading part. Miss Elliott, an American girl who had a small part, made an excellent impression.

REMOVING THE BEAUTIES FROM THEIR | FRED C. WILLIAMSON KNOCKED DOWN IN ALLEN-ST.

> HIS THREE ASSAILANTS TAKE HIS WATCH AND CHAIN AND ESCAPE-THE DEED WAS DONE IN THE PRESENCE OF HUNDREDS

Policeman Frederick C. Williamson, of the Madion-st. station, was murdered last night in Allenst., between Grand and Hester sts., by three men, who escaped. Williamson was attacked while walking, and robbed of his gold watch and chain. His assailants knocked him down, breaking his neck and fracturing his skull. He was killed aimost instantly. The murder occurred a few minutes after 9 o'clock, within sight of hundreds of people in Grand-st. The spot where Williamson was attacked is only a few feet distant from the Allen-st. end of Ridley's drygoods store, and the neighborhood is thickly populated. The street was

filled with people, yet the murderers got away. Williamson lived at No 113 East Broadway with his wife and three children. He was about thirty-eight years old, and had been on the force several years. He started on his vacation on May 2, and was to return to duty on Thursday. On that day he reported sick and had been on the sick list since. He went out after supper last night, telling his wife he was going to take a walk. Shortly before i o'clock he called at the Madison-st, station and talked with Sergeant McSweeney for a few min-utes. He left there to go home. Just what took him up to Allen-st. is not known.

THE MISFORTUNES OF "THE VIKING!

A DISTURBED FEELING IN THE ACTORS' OVER THE RECENT BENEFIT.

It was said yesterday that the difficulties over ing' is the comic opera by Miss Estelle Clayton which was given at Palmer's Theatre on Thursday afternoon for the benefit of the Actors' Fund. Nobody in authority seemed quite ready to admit yesterday that there was really likely to be any further trouble about it, but there was a general feeling of dcubt and dissatisfaction in the air. Members of the Actors' Fund expressed regret that that association had allowed its to be connected with the production, especially as it was feared that nothing was coming to its treasury from the benefit. Then, after all, it was said, the fund might still get as much out of it as was ever expected, and then who would have any right o complain? Weeks ago, when the performance of "The Vik-

ing" was first proposed, the trustees of the Actors' was when it was proposed to run the opera for a week at the Carnegie Music Hall, with afternoon receptions. At this meeting Louis Aldrich, the vice-president of the Fund, presided, A. M. Palmer, the president, being absent. At a later meeting, at which Mr. Palmer presided, it was decided to let Misa Clayton give her opera on one afternoon at Palmer's Theatre for the benefit of the Fund. A contract with her was signed, by the terms of which she guaranteed the Fund \$2,000. Even before the trustees gave her permission to use the name of the Fund in connection with the opera she had, it appears, gained a number of subscriptions for the expenses of the performance, and she showed checks to the amount of about \$1.600, drawn to the Actors'

Louis Aldrich and Frank W. Sanger yesterday denied reports that they had resigned denied reports that they had resigned or were about to resign their positions as vice-president and treasurer of the fund on account of the unsatisfactory result of the benefit. "I was opposed to the whole plan from the beginning," said Mr. Aldrich, "but what right have we to say that anything has gone wrong yet? Miss Clayton may pay the \$2.000 and so keep her contract with the fund. We have no right to suppose that she will not."

fund. We have no right to suppose that she wanted."

A. M. Palmer was out of town yesterday. Samuel Rorke, who is associated with him and who says that he was present at every interview that Miss Clayton had with Mr. Palmer, says that Mr. Palmer never gave her any authority to use the name of the Actors' Fund in soliciting subscriptions until the trustees had voted to do so. The \$1,600 previously mentioned was paid out by Mr. Palmer, Mr. Rorke says, on orders from Miss Clayton, for the expenses of the production. The scenery used is still at Palmer's Theatre, and it is held as security for the sum due to the Actors' Fund. "I do not mean to imply," Mr. Rorke said, "that Miss Clayton will not pay the \$2,000; she says that she can get the money. I am only holding the scenery till she keeps her contract with the fund."

OBITUARY.

John G. Herold, a well-known resident of Brooklyn, died Friday night at his home, No. 201 Rodneyst. Death was due to pneumonia. Mr. Herold was born in Germany seventy-one years ago, and came to this country forty-five years ago. He carried on to this country forty-ne year ago.

a tailoring business, and at his retirement from active business he was succeeded by his son, George Herold, commissary of the 47th Regiment. Some months ago Mr. Herold received painful injuries by failing from a trolley-car at Lee-ave, and Rodneyst, and never fully recovered.

EX-SURGEON-GENERAL SUTHERLAND. Washington, May 11.-General Charles Sutherland, ex-Surgeon-General of the Army, died at his home in this city late last night, in his sixty-fifth year. A wife and seven children survive him. He was appointed an assistant surgeon in the Army is 1852 from Pennsylvania, his native State. served throughout the war in the Medical Corps of the Army, and in 1806 was promoted to assistant surgeon, with the rank of lleutenant-colonel, for meritorious services during the war. In 1876 he was made a surgeon and in 1800 became Surgeon-Gen-eral, holding the office until he was retired.

Saratoga, N. Y., May 11 (Special).-Major William J. Riggs, who served during the war with the 3d New-York Artillery, died here to-night, after an illness of seven weeks. He was seventy-four years old and is survived by two daughters—Mrs. Frederick N. Young, of this place, and Mrs. J. Cairns, of New-York City. His wife died several years. erick N. Young, of this place, and Mrs. J. Cairns, of New-York City. His wife died several years ago. Newburg, N. Y., May II (Special).—John W. Forsyth, ex-chief of police, died at his home here today, aged sixty-four. He was an Eric conductor in Fisk's and Gould's time, and served honorably as sergeant in the fist New-York Volunteers. He

as sergeant in the fist New-York Volunteers. He was a prominent Mason and a member of the First Baptist Church. He leaves a wife and son, the latter the junior member of the firm of Edwards & Forsyth, merchants here.

Samuel Cash died here to-day, aged sixty-one. He lived many years in the family of Mayor B. B. Odell. He was connected with the Muchattoes Lake Ice Company. He served in the 5th New-York Regiment, the famous "Tenth Legion," and contracted while in the Army a disease that led up to his death. He leaves a widow.

Asbury Park, N. J., May II (Special).—Mrs. Mary Tilton, a well-known resident of Ocean Grove, died guddenly this morning. Mrs. Tilton owned several cottages in Ocean Grove and West Asbury Park.

MR. GRESHAM PART THE CRITICAL STAGE, Washington, May 11 .- Secretary Gresham is be lieved to have safely passed the critical stage of his illness, and is thought to be out of danger, unless unforeseen complications occur. His recovery, however, will be tedious, and under the most favorable circumstances, it is not thought that he will be able to leave Washington for at least two or three weeks. Dr. W. W. Johnson, who has charge three weeks. Dr. W. W. Johnson, who has charge of the case, after seeing the Secretary this afternoon, said:
"I am very much encouraged by the patient's progress. The pleurisy is yielding to treatment, and there is no indication of malaria or any other complication."

Mrs. Gresham, her son Otto, a trained nurse and the doctor are the only persons who are admitted to the sickroom.

Secretary Gresham's continued illness has led to reports of his probable retirement from the Cabinet. Supplemental to these reports comes another that his successor would be Don M. Dickinson, who was Postmaster-General in President Cleveland's first Administration. The reports are apparently un-founded. Mr. Dickinson has been in the city off and on during the last week. He made a trip to Washington that excited some comment, coming as it did just at the time of the rumors of Secretary washington that excited some commercial was it did just at the time of the rumors of Secretary Gresham's retirement. When Mr. Dickinson was visited at his hotel and asked about the report, he said that he knew nothing about it. He added that he was busy owing to private engagements and could not stop to talk. One who is in a position to know said yesterday: "Mr. Gresham has tion to know said yesterday: "Mr. Gresham has course might become imperative. In case that happened, the portfolio might be offered to Mr. Dickinson. I do not think that Mr. Dickinson has ever given the matter a thought."

The reports relative to the retirement of Secretary Gresham perhaps got an impetus when it was Gresham perhaps got an impetus when it was learned that Mr. Dickinson was present at the Cabinet meeting last Tuesday, and Secretary Gresham was absent, heing represented by First Assistham was at a Cabinet meeting informally does not was at a Cabinet meeting informally does not was at a Cabinet meeting informally does not imply anything, inasmuch as his personal relations with Mr. Cleveland are such that this might occur at any time.

EUROPEAN AGGRESSIONS IN LIBERIA

THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT CONDEMNED FOR SUFFERING FRANCE AND ENGLAND TO ENCROACH UPON THE TERRITORY OF THE REPUBLIC.

THE REPUBLIC.

To the Editor of The Tribune.

Sir: At the last meeting of the Universal Peace
Union of Pennsylvania, at which I was present, the
question of Alsace-Lorraine, which is now in the
possession of Germany, was discussed. The result
was the drawing up of a resolution requesting that
Government to return the territory to France, as
said action would prevent any future disturbance
which might lead to another war. The equity of
the request so impressed itself upon me, that I advocated the idoption of the resolution.

Now, a parallel case is that of Liberia in its reiation to both England and France. This republic

iation to both England and France. This republic from its foundation included all the land which lies between the San Pedro and Sherbro rivers, and was so recognized by all civilized nations, including the English and French, which first had the magnanimity to acknowledge the little republic as a sovereign power. Notwithstanding this recognition, England, through her agents, took possession of the Gallinas territory, from the Sherbro to the Manah, against the most earnest protest of the Liberian Government, whose lack of power prevented other form of resistance. France, being a known rival of England, sent out her emissaries to survey the land of Liberia, and demanded the territory, with a threat of dismemberment of the republic in case of non-compliance. Thus was the weaker nation forced to submit to the powerful, and her ivory coast, between the San Pedro and Cavalla rivers, passed into the hands of the French, protest here

again availing nothing.

When Liberia becomes sufficiently powerful to contend for her rights, could she be condemned for striving to reclaim that territory of which she has been thus unjustly deprived? May not the dissatisfaction with this injustice from both England and France result in open conflict? Already the aborigines of those tracts are not only protesting against the injustice, but have taken up arms to throw off this foreign yoke, preferring to continue to be Liberian citizens rather than subjects of European powers.

I do not approve of war, but to prevent it, justice must be meted out, for the love of liberty cannot be crushed. It would be well for both England and France to practise this in their dealings with natives of Africa, and with the Republic of Li-

beria in particular.
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beria in particular.

Of course, the United States Government, to which we appealed, could have helped us, inasmuch as we are her offspring, but it positively refused to do .o, thus giving to those nations the opportunity to outrage her daughter republic. If we were Hawalian Americans, the papers would have taken up our cause; but being Liberian Americans, of African descent, we were not champloned, although, in the establishment of this African Republic prominent citizens of the United States took active part.

Liberia has already accomplished a work of Christian civilization for the negro which ought to command the respect of all friends of untrammelled manhood. Had it not been for her influence on the West Coast, the combined powers of England, France and the United States could not have so successfully swept away the slave trade from that region. As an instrument in God's hands for the development of an independent sovereignty for, by, and of the negro, an agency for the advancement of the African race especially and humanity at large, should she be retarded? No nation is better fitted to stretch out a helping hand to the advancement of such a state of progress for the negro in Africa than the United States of America, if her present statesmen should consider the development of the human species within and beyond the confines of her own territory, as did her statesmen of 1819.

May we not hope that what the United States is in the Occident, Liberia may be in the Orient? Nay, may even do more in preaching and living a "peace and goodwill toward all mankind," making that part of the world over which she exercises any influence a haven of rest not alone to her own citizens, but to all who may seek shelter at her doors? I believe Liberia was founded by God's inspiration and has been sustained by His providence, and I am confident that the territory of Liberia, that she may in the near future stand among the nations the fulfilment of God's vindication of the negro race.

PAULUS MOORT, M. D., Rector of Trinity Ch

THE ACCOUNTS OF THE RECEIVER OF TAXES OF EAST ORANGE. To the Editor of The Tribune.

Sir: In your issue of this date, under the head of Orange news, your paper states that the affairs of the Receiver of Taxes of East Orange are in a tangled condition. Your reporter has been grossly imposed upon. His office is in good condition. His collections largely are made according to tax-books delivered to him by the Township Committee, who receive them from the ward assessors, Every amount received is recorded daily in detail in the Receiver's cashbook, and said book bal-anced daily. All payments are made by warrants in the Receiver's cashbook, and said book balanced daily. All payments are made by warrants signed by three officials, and the cashbook shows each day the amount of money on hand, either in bank, in checks, or in cash, in Receiver's safe, belonging to township. Every day his receipts and disbursements are reported to the township book-keeper of another department. His accounts are now being examined by experts selected by the Finance Committee, because certain parties claim that the township affairs need reorganization, and the place to begin is in the office of the Receiver and Treasurer. When the examination is completed it will be found that everything has been done by the Receiver simply, plainly and absolutely correct, showing for itself, hardly needing any explanation, except possibly the system explained. A successor to the said Receiver was named by the new president of the town, and the Township Committee laid the nomination on the table, to wait the report of the experts now making the examination.

GEORGE B. MILLS.

CORRECTIONS FROM MR. COCHRANE. To the Editor of The Tribune.

Sir: Allow one of your daily readers to ask for two corrections in your article reporting the last meeting of the Presbytery of New-York, held in the meeting of the Presbytery of New-York, held in the "Old First Church," April 29 last. This statement occurs in your issue of April 30: "Dr. John Hall and Dr. John Bliss, who have known Dr. Cochrane for a long time," etc. The former clergyman has known me and my father's family many years on both sides of the Atlantic, but the latter minister has never been introduced to me and, like many other Presbyters in New-York, has known me chiefly for the stand lately taken in the interest of reform inside the Presbyterian Church. I have never claimed to be either a D. D. or an M. D., but presume the prefix Dr. to my name in your journal was a typographical error, or it may have originated from the fact that my son, Duncan Cochrane, is studying in college intending to become a medical missionary.

CHARLES E. COCHRANE, New-York, May 8, 1895.

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BRIGDEN—At Montclair, N. J., May 10, Mary Wilson, wife of William Palmer Brigden, and only daughter of W. Irving and Marion L. Adama.

Puneral will take place on Monday at 3 o'clock, from 'Brivingcroft,' Montclair.

BROOKES—Suddenly, on Thursday evening, May 9, Ellen D., widow of Alfred Brookes, at the age of 82 years.

Puneral from the Church of the Messiah, Park-ave, and 34th-st., on Sunday, the 12th inst., at half-past 2.

BRYAN—On May 11, 1895, John A. Bryan, in the 70th year of his age.

Notice of funeral hereafter.

CHASE—On Thursday, May 9, at Tenafly, N. J., Sallie Crawford, sister of Edward E. Chase, of New-York City. Puneral will take place from St. John's Church, Providence, R. I., on Monday.

HAMILTON.—Isabella Simpson, wife of Robert Hamilton, May 10, aged 70 years 4 months 16 days.

Funeral service Saturday evening, May 11, at 8 o'clock, at her late residence, 632 8th-ave.

Interment private, Sunday, 2 p. m., Greenwood.

HARBINSON—Entered into rest May 10, 1805, Frances, only daughter of the late Capt. Hiram M. and Sarah A. Raymond, and wife of Renry Harbinson, in the 64th year of her age.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral services at her late residence, 1,084 Dean-st., Brooklyn, Sunday, May 12, at 4 p. m.

BIDELBIACH—Suddenly, on Saturday, May 11, Henriette, wife of Moses Heidelbach.

Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral from her late residence, 1,42 West 47th-st., Tuesday, May 14, at 9:30 o'clock a. m.

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KIMBALL—On Friday, May 10, at Canton, N. Y., Emma Wardwell, wife of William H. Kimball.

Interment at Adams. N. Y.

LEVY—John J. Levy, on Thursday evening, at his residence, 21 West 50th-st., in the 72d year of his age.

Relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral content of william H. Kimball.

Interment at Adams. N. Y.

LEVY—John J. Levy, on Thursday evening, at his residence, 20 with a Moore.

MOORE-On May 11, at her residence, No. 20 5th-ave.,
Annie Leeds Moore, wife of Caivin A. Moore.
Funeral private.
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MORGAN-In this city, on Friday, May 10, Charles
Leslie Morgan, in the 48th year of his age.
Funeral services Monday, May 13, at 10 a, m., at his
late residence, No 11 West 86th-st.
DABONNO, On Baurday, May 11, Elizabeth Parana.

PARSONS—On Saturday, May II, Elizabeth Parsons, widow of James A. Parsons.
Funeral will take place on Monday, May 13, upon the arrival of train leaving foot of Liberty-st. at 7 p. m., from the residence of her son-in-law, E. B. Hutchinson, Upper Montelair, N. J.

the residence of her son-in-law, E. B. Hutchinson, Upper Montclair, N. J.

SLOAT—At Mount Vernon, N. Y., on Saturday, May 10, 1805, Roland it, Sloat, youngest son of M. B. Dunette T. Sloat, in the 11th year of his age.

Funeral private.

VAN HOEVENBERG—May ... at his residence, New-Brighton, Staten Island, J. mes Dumond van Hoevenberg, beloved husband of Elida B. Woodhull, in his 38th year.

Funeral services will be held at St. John's Church, Clifton, Staten Island, Sunday, May 12, at 3 o'clock.

Boat leaves South Ferry at 2 o'clock.

Train arrives at Fort Wadsworth station 2:38.

Interment will be with Masonic honors.

WEERS—At Carmel, N. Y., on Friday, May 10, 1805, Mrs. Ada Weeks, widow of Chauncey R. Weeks, in her July 10, 1807, May 12, at 12 o'clock noor.

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MONDAY—At 1 p. m. for Barbados direct, also North Brazil, via Para and Manaos, per s. s. Origen (letters for Brazil, via Para and Manaos, per s. s. Origen (letters for Brazil per s. s. Brazil must be directed "per Origen"); at "5 p. m. for Belize, Puerto Cortes and Guatemala, per s. s. Brackwater, from New-Orleans; at "2 p. m. for Costa Rica, via Limon, per s. s. A. Dumois, from New-Orlean.

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TUESDAY—At 1 a. m. for Brazil, via Pernambuco, Rio Janeiro and Santos, per z. s. J. W. Taylor, from Raitimore dietters for North Brazil and La Plata countries must be directed "per J. W. Taylor"); at 2 p. m. for St. Kitts and Demerara direct, per z. s. Terrier; at 2:30 a. m. for Newfoundland, per z. s. Corean, from Philadelphia; at 6 a. m. for Europe, per z. s. Saate, via Southampton and Bremen; at 3 p. m. for Belize, per s. s. Espana, from Mobile.
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Religione Notices. ADELPHI HALL 52d-st. and Broadway.—Mrs. H. T. BRIGHAM speaks morning and evening. Evening subject.
"The Resurrection—Is It Spiritual or Physical"?

ALL SOULS CHURCH Madison-ave, and 66th-st.-Rev. R. HEBER NEWTON will preach at 11 a. m. Evensong at 5 p. n. (seafs free), a one-hour service, with full choir and sermon by Rev. A. N. HENSHAW. CHRIST CHURCH, 7ist-st. and Boulevard.—Dr. J. S SHIPMAN, Rector, Rev. HERBERT SHIPMAN, assist-ant. Morning service at 11 o'clock. Evening service at 8. Sunday-school at 10 a. m.

CHURCH OF THE ASCENSION, htth-ave, and loth-st.

Services—Holy Communion at 9 a. m.

Morning service at 11 a. m.

Musical service at 4 p. m.

Easter Cantata by F. Hiller.

Evening service at 5 p. m.

CHURCH OF THE BELOVED DISCIPLE, near Madison-ave.—Sunday evening, May 12, 8 s o'clock, with a special sermon to men by W. S. RAINSFORD, D. D., Rector of St.

MRS. MARY CLEMENT LEAVITT, the Round World Missionary for the Woman's Christian Ten ance Union, will speak in St. Luke's M. E. Che 41st.st. near 6th.ave., on Sunday evening, May at 8 o'clock. Shy with also speak in the 34th.st Retor Church near Sth.ave., Wesinesday evening, May 1 the 3 o'clock, and in Metropolitan Hall 16th.st., 6th.ave., on Thursday afternoon, at 3 o'clock.

SOCIETY FOR ETHICAL CULTURE. Sunday, May 12, 1895.—At 11:15 a. m., anniversary exercises of the Society for Ethical Culture at Carnegie Music Hall, corner 57th-st. and 7th-ave. Addresses by JOHN LOVEJOY ELLIOTT and W. SANFORD EVANS. Anniversary address by Prof. FELIX ADLER. All interested are invited.